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1. BIOGRAPHIC DATA ON HECTOR PRECHT BANADOS: PADB: MARCH 29, 1936, SANTIAGO, CHILE; HOME ADDRESS: CALLE LA CANADA 6584, LA REINA, SANTIAGO; ACADEMIC TRAINING: THREE YEARS LAW SCHOOL; PRESENT POSITION: HEAD INTERNATIONAL NEWS SECTION, DAILY "EL MERCURIO"; POSITIONS HELD IN PAST: 11 YEARS AT "EL MERCURIO", INTERNATIONALS NEWS COMMENTATOR AT RADIO MINERIA AND CHANNEL U, CORRESPONDENT FOR SWEDISH NEWSPAPERS; MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS: FOREIGN NEWS ASSOCIATION AND PRESIDENT OF JOURNALIST UNION OF "EL MERCURIO", "ULTIMAS NOTICIAS" AND "LA SEGUNDA". ALSO MEMBER OF CHILEAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION AND JOURNALISTS' CIRCLE. TRAVELS ABROAD: NEARLY ALL LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES, GERMANY, AFRICA (ZAIRE). ENGLISH: FAIR. CLEARED.

2. ADDITIONAL BIODATA ON MANUEL ALBERTO CARRASCO TORRES: PADB: MARCH 3, 1936, CHILLAN, CHILE; HOME ADDRESS: CAMPOAMOR 3130, SANTIAGO CHILE; ACADEMIC TRAINING: JOURNALIST DEGREE FROM UNIVERSITY OF CONCEPCION; PRESENT POSITION: JOURNALIST OF DAILY "LA TERCERA" AND UPI; POSITIONS HELD IN PAST: NEWS COMMENTATOR AT RADIO AGRICULTURA; REPORTER AND EDITOR DAILY "LA TERCERA", ECONOMIC COMMENTATOR AT UPI; MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS: MEMBER OF CHILEAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION AND PRESIDENT OF UNCLASSIFIED

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